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I believe that I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below), or an original, first, and joint inventor (if multiple names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is being sought related to the invention entitled:

CONTACTLESS HUMIDITY/CHEMICAL VAPOR SENSOR DEVICE AND ASSOCIATED METHOD OF FABRICATION

the specification of which (check one):

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